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In re application of: Coleman

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For: Apparatus and Method for
Providing Access to a Data Stream by
a Plurality of Users at a Same Time§
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Group Art Unit: 2616

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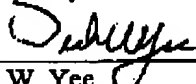
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Sir:

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